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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Official Action of May 9, 2008, in which a one-month shortened statutory period was set to expire on June 9, 2008, Applicants respectfully request an action on the merits together with an indication of the allowability of the pending claims in view of the response filed on January 29, 2008 and in view of the herein contained election.

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